

ST. JOHN BOSCO CATHOLIC SCHOOL
SCHOOL ADVISORY BOARD MEETING AGENDA
Tuesday, January 16, 2024

Meeting Time: 6pm – 7:15pm

Location: St. John Bosco Library

Voting Board Members:

- Laura Underwood (LU)
- Erica Seidel (ES)
- Marianne Biegler (MB), President, Chair
- Marc Rivas (MR) - **Absent**
- Moti Salloum (MS)
- Brian Wiscombe (BW) - **Absent**
- Erin Gonzales (EG)
- Cindy Casaus (CC), Vice President
- Chad Stallings (CS) - **Absent**

Ex-officio Non-Voting Board Members:

- Fr. James Aboyi (JA), Pastoral Administrator
- Jamie Bescak (JB), Principal, Administrative Officer
- Rachel Barone (RB), Faculty Representative - **Absent**
- Hogan Macdonald, STREAM Teacher/IT Director
- Marilyn Johnston (MJ) Parish Council Representative
- Krissy Beliski (KB) Preschool Director

AGENDA			
1.	Meeting Call to Order/Welcome – 6:05pm	MB	1 min
2.	Opening Prayer/Reflection	JB	2 mins
2.	Roll Call and Verification of Quorum	ES	1 min
3.	Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes from December <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - ES sent out Dec meeting minutes on 1/16/24. - Board to review minutes, send email of approval to MB by 1/19/24. 	ES	2 mins
4.	Update on Parish Assignments; Best of Valley, Best of Ahwatukee <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - CC/ES: Corpus will have table. CC will follow up about having Ambassadors speak in addition or in place of CEA. - LU/EG: Holy Spirit is setup for 9/11am masses. - MB: St. Stephens is setup and Jerry will help - MS: Our Lady of Guadalupe is awaiting approval from their Fr. to approve the bulletin entry. - JB: Working with St. Mary Magdalene in Gilbert <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Table cloths will be ready. • Ballons and rolling banners have been ordered. 	MB	10 mins

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Each SAB board member shall pick up box of supplies the Friday before masses (1/26/24) • Members will also need to purchase ballons sticks from Walmart. 		
5.	<p>Best of Valley, Best of Ahwatukee (Laura/Erin)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - All signage is done and ready for pickup as of 1/17/24 - Post cards will be delivered to youngest child’s teacher. - Last week of voting – PreK 3’s and Ambassador’s will be in carpool holding signs. - Publications: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Arizona Foothills Magazine – Best of Our Valley <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. End of October of previous year is when nominations are due. b. Voting takes place month of November c. https://www.arizonafoothillsmagazine.com/best-of-our-valley-winners/3052-best-of-our-valley-2019-accepting-nominations.html?start=1 ○ Phoenix Magazine <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Emailed advertising contact b. Nominations in April / voting in May c. Email received from Director of Digital Content ○ AZ Big Media – Ranking The Best of Arizona Business <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Voting and Nominations for the 2025 Edition now open b. Can vote for us now. c. https://azbigmedia.com/vote-ranking-arizona <p>No reference to a "Best Of" nomination for the AZ Republic. Maybe MR has more insight?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Article in AFN’s comes out tomorrow for St. Benedict - Board agreed to focus on updating school reviews on Google/Great Schools/Facebook over the publications. - JB will put something in the Bulldog Bite for parents to submit reviews. 	LU/EG	10 mins
6.	<p>Catholic Schools Week Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Need help with tours on Wed’s night 1/31/24 (19 families signed up for tours, 8 families the next day) 	MB/JB	5 mins
7.	<p>Principal Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Thanks for reaching out to other parishes for promoting SJB. - Re-enrollment is going well. Closes 1/26/24 - 55 applications in for next year already. - Preliminary calendar for next year is set – Subject to change. - Radio Family Rosary reached out requesting a student to share the life of St. John Bosco on the news cast on feast 	JB	15 mins

	<p>day – Jan 31st. JB will also be recording a news cast on catholic education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - JB seeking a grant for \$25K for steel fence assistance. - JB requesting SAB members to attend the Catholic Schools Kickoff on Monday, 1/29/31. 		
8.	<p>Pastor Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Approval for the Dedication of church is still pending. - First draft of parish strategic plan is ready and will be reviewed. - First mass in new church is targeted to be VIP mass 1/31/24 	JA	15 mins
9.	Closing Prayer – closed meeting at 7:00pm	MB	2 mins